

# ***MARIETTA POLICE DEPARTMENT***

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**INCIDENT:** Copper Theft

**DATE:** December 5, 2011

**LOCATION:** Cobb Industrial Drive

**SUSPECT:** Louis Anthony Lopez, black male, 5'09 160 pounds, 24 years old

**CHARGES:** Burglary. At least 2 more counts of burglary are pending

The Marietta Police Departments Copper Head Metal Task Force strikes back again. MPD Detectives have secured arrest warrants for two people that committed a burglary that occurred at a vacant warehouse located on Cobb Industrial Drive on November 28, 2011 at 1:30pm.

At approximately 1:30pm, Marietta Police Officers responded to the vacant warehouse on Cobb Industrial Drive for a report of a possible burglary in progress. A witness stated they observed a white male walk from behind the vacant warehouse and place possible copper wiring in the back of a Nissan truck. The suspect vehicle had left the scene just prior to the officers arrival.

Evidence collected at the scene led to the identification of both suspects, 24 year old Jay Douglas Trantham of Marietta and 24 year old Louis Anthony Lopez of Marietta. Trantham was arrested on December 2, 2011 and his vehicle, a red Nissan Pathfinder, was confiscated. At least two more counts of burglary are still pending against Trantham who is being held without bond at the Cobb County Adult Detention Center.

The Marietta Police Departments Copper Head Metal Task Force is asking anyone with information or whereabouts of Louis Anthony Lopez to contact the Marietta Police Department at 770-794-5300 or contact Marietta Police Detective Henson at 770-794-5345, Marietta Tip Line 770-794-6990.



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